

Dear Jim,

4/5/84

With regard to Melanson's 3/21 to Bud and the attached 44-1987-Sub C-4, the Chastain story headed "Envelope Is Cited By Ray's Attorney," as I told you I had no recollection of Bud ever telling me that he had a Ray envelope indicating that Ray had used the Galt alias before escaping MoPen. Or perhaps it was intended to reflect that Ray wrote to the flophouse address in Atlanta before he escaped and thus knew the place before escaping, which could be significant.

This record was disclosed to me in C.A. 75-1996. I've checked the files. That Sub consists of clippings and I did make copies of some of them. I can tell by the binding. I've checked them for the rest of the year and there is no further story of this nature or any other reference to that matter.

I do not recall any other record relating to this matter. If anyone wants me to, I can go over the Memphis and/or Atlanta main files for that time period, on the chance I missed something. But I won't now unless Bud or Phil wants me to.

I see the envelope was not Ray's as I reread the story. I therefore think that the FBI had an interest in the organization from which it was sent or the doctor to whom it was addressed and has no connection with Ray.

Best,